

# CARGO Kickoff Meeting



20-22 May 2002

# DARPA

- **Defense** Advanced Research Projects Agency
  - Part of the Department of Defense
  - Every program is an initiative
  - Connections to potential defense or national security applications are central
- Applied and Computational Mathematics (ACMP)
  - In the Defense Sciences Office (DSO) with Materials/Physics and Biology
  - History of successful joint initiatives with NSF
    - **NSF Solicitation/Selection model**
    - **DARPA program management model**

# CARGO Review Meetings

- Kickoff: 20-22 May, 2002, Newport RI
- Year 2 review: 19-21 May, 2003 (tentative), Location TBD
- Every project represented
  - Participation of co-PIs, Postdocs, Grad Students is encouraged
  - Subsequent meetings will have posters as well as lectures
  - Materials to be collected and disseminated to teams

# Other Administrative Information

- Solicitation of agency review materials
  - Highlight summaries/visuals on request
  - Once or twice per year
- Possible site visits
- Don't hesitate to approach us!
  - Breakthroughs
  - Major publications
  - Problems, personnel & administrative matters (ugh!)